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FOR: APPARATUS AND SYSTEM FOR

MOUNTING COMPONENTS AND

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## LETTER REQUESTING U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE REMOVE DUPLICATE UNSIGNED E-FILING

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SIR:

Applicants' attorney requests that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office remove a duplicate e-filing. The facts are as follows:

An Amendment, Amendment Cover Letter, Letter Submitting Replacement
Drawings, Replacement Drawings, Translator's Statement and English Translation of Priority
Document for the above-identified application was e-filed (EFS ID: 2590814) on December
14, 2007. Upon checking the e-filing in PAIR, it was discovered the filing had not been
signed. The Amendment, Amendment Cover Letter, Letter Submitting Replacement
Drawings, Translator's Statement and English Translation of Priority Document were then
re-efiled (EFS ID: 2594453). Please retain the filing (EFS ID: 2594453) in the U.S. Patent
and Trademark Office Image File Wrapper and remove the filing (EFS ID: 2590814) from
the U.S. PTO Image File Wrapper.

Consequently, in view of the above discussion, it is respectfully submitted that the duplicate e-filed response (EFS ID: 2590814) be removed from the Image File Wrapper.

Respectfully submitted,

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